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On page 6, line 13, please take out the word "should" and put in its stead the word "could".

Implementations of the present invention may require one of skill in the art to be familiar with a number of software platforms, architectures, programming languages, standards, and specifications. At the time of this writing, extending Apache effectively requires C, actual user interface objects might best be written in Java, using and extending Java Swing, graphics operations might best be performed using libraries such as Java 2D Graphics, or Batik, modules may best communicate with each other with API calls, or over TCP/IP streams, wherein the data which is exchanged might best be encoded using XML, and access control

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